

st. john lutheran church



Buck Creek,

Iowa

Rev. Allan J. Ptoa, Pastor

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MESSAGE FROM THE PASTOR

To all who come to this church, we welcome you. It is our prayer that we may share with you the riches we have in Christ our Savior. To all who mourn and need comfort; to all who are lonely and need a friend; to all who sin and need a Savior, we preach Christ and Him crucified.

By a loving and a good Lord, and with the Holy Spirit we are able to carry on God's work here at Buck Creek. It is in thanks to our gracious God, and His faithful people that we dedicate this picture directory.





The Church Council

Leader of the people work together to more effectively do God's work here and in all the world.

Front Row, 1 to r: Merlin Buenzow, Arnold Judisch, Pastor Stoa, Herman Zell, Vernon Zell. Back Row: Norvin Wilharm, Arnold Bohle, Harold Mohlis, Reinhardt Buhr, LaVerne Wehling, Ellsworth Zell, Ernest Puisner, Dale Meyer.



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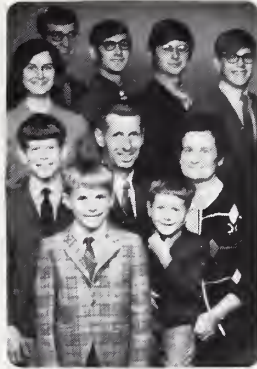


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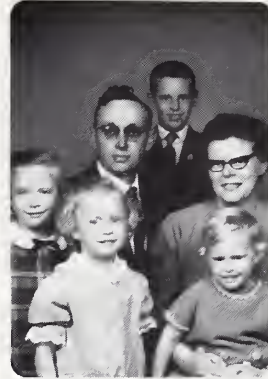
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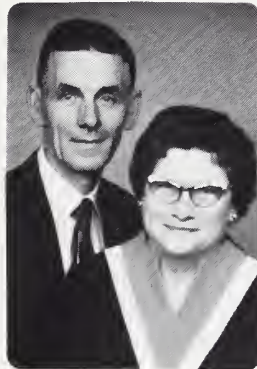
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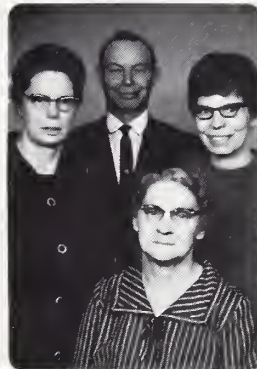
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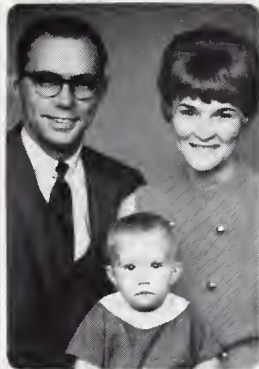
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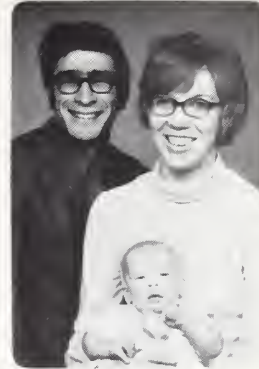
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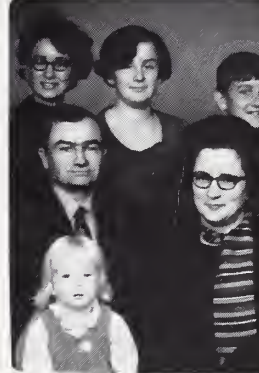
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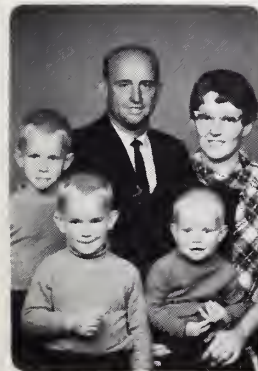
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CALL YOUR MINISTER

1. WHEN YOU ARE FACING A SERIOUS PROBLEM

Most Ministers have been trained to help people with their personal, family and other problems. The important judgment of a spiritual leader, together with his prayers for Divine guidance, will enable you to face your problems with confidence. Don't allow your problem to get too big for you.

2. WHEN SOMEONE IS INTERESTED IN THE CHURCH

You constantly meet young people and adults who are in your community, and others who have not united with the local church. Put in a good word for your church and tell your pastor about the prospective members.

3. WHEN THERE IS ILLNESS

Your Minister is as near as your telephone. His presence, counsel and prayer will be helpful. Your pastor will appreciate your phone call when you, your loved one or friend is sick or going to the hospital.

4. WHEN THERE IS DEATH

Your Minister should be notified when there is a death in the family. He can give comfort and counsel at this difficult time.

5. WHEN YOU MUST MAKE AN IMPORTANT DECISION

If you are a young person and face a decision about going to college, arranging your course of study, or choosing your life work, make an appointment to see your minister. The viewpoint of your spiritual adviser should be considered.

6. WHEN THERE IS A WEDDING

Your Pastor should be consulted before the wedding day is set. Since you will undoubtedly desire to have one or more conferences with your Minister, it is advisable to contact him well in advance of the wedding.

7. WHEN SOMEONE DESIRES TO BECOME A CHRISTIAN

Happy, indeed, is the pastor who is asked to talk with someone desiring to become a Christian. Tell your Minister about friends of yours who are interested in knowing more about the Christian faith.

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